



Austin City Council MINUTES

SPECIAL CALLED MEETING - MARCH 10, 1993
TOWN LAKE CENTER - 2:00 P.M.

Mayor Todd called to order the special called meeting of the Council, noting the absence of Mayor Pro Tem Urdy.

WORKSESSION

1. COUNCIL PRIORITY - Public Safety

Elizabeth Watson, Chief of Police; Dave Wuertz, Director of Emergency Medical Services; and Bill Roberts, Fire Chief, were the speakers for the day. They discussed the 911 system and expected changes to be made by the government. Chief Watson said the City of Austin system is in need of repair and it would be more cost effective to replace the system than fix it. She said with the present system the three departments, Police, Fire and EMS cannot talk to each other.

Chief Roberts and EMS Director Wuertz, both used slides for their presentations. Copies of them are on file in the City Clerk's office.

Chief Watson discussed Austin's concept for community policing. Her report is on file in the City Clerk's office.

ADJOURNMENT - the meeting was adjourned at 4:08 P.M.

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